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RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
EXAMINING GROUP 2600

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: A. Mashimo Attorney Docket No. WISC124370
Application No.: 10/082,129 Art Unit: 2651 / Confirmation No.: 5391
Filed: February 26, 2002 Examiner: A. Giesy
Title: OPTICAL DISK DEVICE

TRANSMITTAL LETTER FOR RESPONSE
AFTER FINAL REJECTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

Seattle, Washington 98101

September 1, 2005

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

A. Amendment Transmittal

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- X 1. No additional claim fee is required, as shown below.
_____ 2. The claim fee has been calculated as shown below.

COMPUTATION OF FEE FOR CLAIMS AS AMENDED

| | Claims Remaining After Amendment | | Highest Number Previously Paid For | | Present Extra | | Rate | | Additional Fee |
|--|---|-------|---|---|------------------|---|------|---|-------------------|
| Total Claims | 8 | Minus | 20 | = | 0 | x | 50 | = | 0.00 |
| Independent Claims | 2 | Minus | 3 | = | 0 | x | 200 | = | 0.00 |
| Total Additional Fee for this Amendment | | | | | | | | | \$0.00 |

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B. Additional Fee Charges or Credit for Overpayment

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.18 which may be required during the entire pendency of the application, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 03-1740. This authorization also hereby includes a request for any extensions of time of the appropriate length required upon the filing of any reply during the entire prosecution of this application.

Respectfully submitted,

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I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service in a sealed envelope as first class mail with postage thereon fully prepaid and addressed to Mail Stop AF, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on the below date.

Date: September 1, 2005 Victoria Sellers

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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

Responsive to the final Office Action dated August 22, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows to place the application in condition for allowance.

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